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FOR: SOLID COMBUSTIBLE ELEMENT FOR DISINTEGRATING A COMBUSTION DEPOSIT LAYER AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING...

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313 Art Unit: 1714

Examiner: TOOMER, C.

Docket No: KOB 18

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

It is requested that the period from the Notice of Appeal to the Final rejection mailed on May 22, 2003 be extended three months so that it expires on April 5, 2004 since April 3 is on a Saturday.

The Assignee of the entire interest qualifies for small entity status as a small business concern. A Credit Card Payment Form authorizing payment of \$210 was previously submitted on March 3, 2004 with a two month request for extension of time. A Credit Card Payment Form authorizing payment of \$265 for the balance of the \$475 fee for a three month extension of time is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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